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Uncle Joe Cannon is lining up his forces to fight the President's policy of tariff revision, and there may be some warm times experienced in the next congress.

We don't generally say very much about our own business affairs, but we do appreciate the fact that one Tucumcari citizen has taken nine subscriptions to this paper.

Cortelyou, postmaster general, has decided to extend the civil service system to fifty thousand more postmasters. This will make the jobs of all the big offices a steady good thing.

Tucumcari is to have a street fair, beginning the 5th of December. The American Amusement Company will put on five shows—the elephant will walk the rope and a pretty girl will go up in balloon, etc.

It is believed that President Roosevelt will recommend that the territorial government be continued two years longer at least in Arizona and New Mexico, and then favor their admission as separate states.

Alex. D. Goldenberg is one of the busiest men in Tucumcari—he is doing business too. He believes in Tucumcari first, last and all the time. He stops long enough to sell a town lot occasionally and generally gets the buyer to build a home.

Miss Alice Roosevelt's 27 boxes of presents have occupied the time of port of entry officials for several days. It does seem that \$60,000 is running into money for a lot of junk—much of which will never be seen again, or be of any use to her or any body else.

The farmer who turns his land in the winter months is going to raise the premium products next season. Broke land will be in fine condition for seeding next year and the melting of the winter snows will go into the earth which being broke deep will hold the moisture. A good beginning is half the battle.

This paper is under obligations to C. C. Davidson, Prof. B. Stephenson, Ernest Langston, and other friends who have assisted us in the accumulation of news from week to week. It is not an easy task for a stranger to find all the news that is going in the community, but we hope in the course of time to get acquainted with everybody in Quay county—then we can give a better newspaper service. Don't hold a news item now for the editor to find it out but tell it for fear he might miss it.

Among the federal officials (Quay county) would like to see re-appointed at the expiration of terms ending in 1906, is Chief Justice Mills of Las Vegas. Judge Mills is highly esteemed by our people. While the personnel of the New Mexico judiciary ranks with any like body of men who ever donned the judicial ermine, Judge Mills is our neighbor, and like Judge Mann, that sturdy Nebraskan, we love him as a man, and respect his judicial opinions. Not because he is Judge Mills or because he is a federal official, but for the reason that he is a clean, brainy and high-toned gentleman.

The M. E. Church, South, supper was a good one. The good women of the organization deserve great credit for the effort they are making to pay off the indebtedness yet remaining against the new church. If it were not for our women and the churches there would not yet be much law west of the Pecos. The receipts from suppers sold amounted to about \$35.

The Knights of Pythias are a young order in Tucumcari, and the membership is a worthy one. An entertainment is on the tapis for the night of Thanksgiving, and all Knights of Pythias and their families are invited. So no matter where your membership may be, come and commune with us, is the request of the local order.

ASYLUM FOR DEAF AND DUMB.

The attention of the public is called to the fact that the New Mexico Asylum for the Deaf and Dumb, at Santa Fe, was opened for pupils on Monday, September 18th, 1905, and is now ready to receive all deaf mutes of school age residing in the Territory of New Mexico.

Under the law creating this school, provision is made for the free instruction and support of all these unfortunates, whose parents are unable to provide for them. Indigent pupils will be furnished transportation from their homes; will be clothed, fed, and taught in the sign language, and in lip reading and articulation as far as possible, and to those whose parents are able to pay, only actual cost will be charged. The Board has erected for the purposes of the school, a large, commodious and convenient building which will accommodate seventy-five to a hundred pupils.

The Boards of County Commissioners and School Superintendents of all the Counties of the Territory are earnestly requested to co-operate with the Board in bringing to the knowledge of all families in their respective Counties, having a deaf mute as a member, the fact of the facilities now available for the instruction and care of deaf mutes, and are also requested to send to the Secretary of the Board the names of all deaf mutes known to them, so that they or their parents may be fully advised, and the newspapers of the Territory are respectfully requested to give publicity in their columns to the fact of the opening of this school, so that it may be given the widest circulation.

Correspondence from those interested is invited, and all inquiries will be fully and promptly answered.

By order of the Board of Trustees of the New Mexico Asylum for the Deaf and Dumb.

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MARCELINO GARCIA, Secretary.

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